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Sir:

COMMUNICATION IN RESPONSE TO AUGUST 8, 2003 OFFICE ACTION

This Communication is submitted in response to the August 8, 2003 Office Action issued in connection with the above-identified patent application. A response to the August 8, 2003 Office Action is due September 8, 2003. Accordingly, this Communication is being timely filed.